The regular meeting of the Baxley City Council was held on June 27, 2018, at 8:30 a.m., with the following members present: Mayor Tim Varnadore; Mayor Pro Tem Esco Hall, Jr.; Councilmembers: Betty Livingston, Mickey Bass, Pat Williams, Adam Thomas, and Santina Fryer.

Other city officials present were: Reid Lovett, City Manager; Reba Cash, City Clerk; Alex Johnson, City Attorney; David Gore, Street Supervisor; Dale Sapp, Water/Sewer Supervisor and Chief of Police James L. Godfrey.

William Gardner representing the Baxley News Banner was present.

Councilman Bass gave the invocation.

Councilman Bass made a motion approving the minutes of the Regular Council meeting of June 13, 2018, at 8:30 a.m. This motion was seconded by Councilwoman Livingston and carried unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tem Hall made a motion approving the Compensation Schedule for the city employees as it relates to education, licensing and training. City Manager Lovett pointed out that there needed to be clarification on CDL’s qualification. This motion was seconded by Councilman Thomas and carried unanimously.

Councilwoman Livingston made a motion approving the 2017 Annual Watershed protection. This motion was seconded by Councilman Bass and carried unanimously. The Mayor and Council congratulated Dale and staff on the great job they are doing in monitoring our water. The testing was done by Tindall Enterprises Inc. showed good results.

Councilman Bass made a motion approving using LMIG Fund to improve the canal and highway on Poor Robin Ext. This motion was seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Hall and carried unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tem Hall made a motion approving the City Manager to apply for a Grant to create a Dog Walking Park on the Southside. This motion was seconded by Councilman Thomas and carried unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tem Hall made a motion authorizing Mayor Varnadore’s execution of a quit claim deed to the Nancy Reagin & Edward Boatright property. This motion was seconded by Councilwoman Livingston and carried unanimously.

Mayor’s Report
1. Mayor Varnadore attended and spoke at the Kiwanis on several issues including street improvements, and Census 2020.
2. Mayor Varnadore attended GMA Conference this weekend and announced the City is fortunate and blessed with a good working relationship with the county.
City Manager’s Report

1. City Manager Lovett updated the Mayor and Council on the Fair Street project and the reclaiming, striping, and signage are expected to be completed in two weeks.

There being no further business, Mayor Varnadore declared the meeting adjourned.

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City Clerk